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## PART V

Season Report for the Week ending with the Twentieth Saturday in 1939  
(20th May 1939.)

District and Station		Rainfall up to 8 A.M. on Saturday, the 20th May 1939										Price of food grains in seers per rupee and market fluctuations in prices of food grains			
		This week	Last 35 years' average for the corresponding week		Upto the end of the week from 1st January 1939				Excess (+) or deficit (-) of column 4 compared with column 5						
					This year	Average of past 35 years									
		2	3		4		5		6		7				
		I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.	This week Seers	Past week Seers	Past ten years' fortnightly average Seers	
BANGALORE	Bangalore (observatory)	0	46	0	95	07	92	05	22	2	70	Rice, 2nd sort.	6'75	6'75	7'00
	Hoskote	0	00	0	79	09	17	04	40	4	77				
	Dodballapur	0	00	0	61	05	95	04	40	1	55	Ragi	15'25	14'50	18'00
	Nelamangala	0	00	0	65	06	69	04	30	2	39				
	Kankanhalli	0	00	1	28	10	08	05	19	4	89	Kulthi	11'00	11'25	13'00
	Magadi	0	19	0	90	06	39	04	77	1	62				
	Channarayana	0	63	1	38	08	09	05	42	2	67	Kadale	7'75	7'75	8'00
	Anekal	0	00	1	10	06	72	05	50	1	22				
	Devanahalli	0	00	0	84	08	48	04	69	3	79				
	Closepet	0	00	1	21	04	70	05	03	—	0	33			
District average		0	13	0	97	07	42	04	89	2	53				
KOLAR	Kolar	0	28	0	81	06	89	04	15	2	74	Rice, 2nd sort.	7'50	7'00	7'00
	Bowringpet	0	00	0	82	05	90	04	54	1	36				
	Chintamani	0	00	0	69	07	71	03	97	3	74	Ragi	15'00	13'00	13'00
	Mulbagal	0	00	0	65	04	72	04	16	0	56				
	Sidlaghatta	0	00	0	71	09	63	04	07	5	56	Kulthi	12'00	12'00	11'00
	Chikballapur	0	00	0	77	07	39	04	21	3	18				
	Bagepalli	0	00	0	50	03	31	03	00	0	31	Kadale	8'00	8'00	7'00
	Goribidnur	0	00	0	48	04	11	02	98	1	13				
	Malur	0	00	0	88	09	15	04	59	4	56				
	Srinivasapur	0	30	0	91	08	91	04	15	4	76				
	Gudibanda	0	00	0	58	06	95	03	53	3	42				
District average		0	05	0	70	06	79	03	94	2	85				
TUMKUR	Tumkur	0	00	0	80	04	48	04	01	0	47	Rice, 2nd sort.	10'00	10'00	5'00
	Madhugiri	0	00	0	62	05	19	03	37	1	82				
	Chiknaikanhalli	0	00	0	85	04	97	04	56	0	41	Ragi	16'00	16'00	11'00
	Sira	0	10	0	48	10	01	03	06	6	95				
	Gubbi	0	00	0	67	06	28	03	76	2	52	Kulthi	11'00	11'50	12'00
	Tiptur	0	00	0	93	04	01	04	63	—	0		62		
	Pavagada	0	00	0	60	02	85	02	74	0	11	Kadale	7'00	8'00	5'00
	Kunigal	0	00	0	85	07	37	03	91	3	46				
	Koratagere	0	00	0	75	03	40	03	46	—	0	06			
	Turuvekere	0	00	0	96	03	86	04	20	—	0	34			
District average		0	02	0	75	05	24	03	77	1	47				



District and Station		Rainfall up to 8 A.M. on Saturday, the 20th May 1939								Price of food grains in seers per rupee and market fluctuations in prices of food grains					
		This week		Last 85 years' average for the corresponding week		Up to the end of the week from 1st January 1939									
						This year		Average of past 85 years		Excess (+) or deficit (-) of column 4 compared with column 5					
1		2		3		4		5		6		7			
		I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.		This week	Past week	Past ten years' fortnightly average
MYSORE	Mysore (observatory)	0	00	1	24	06	99	06	49	0	50				
	Chamarajnagar	0	00	1	44	07	75	06	27	0	48				
	Seringapatam	0	00	1	27	05	23	05	73	0	50		Seers	Seers	Seers
	Hunsur	0	00	1	36	03	28	06	27	2	99				
	Krishnarajnagar	0	00	0	99	03	06	05	13	1	07	Rice, 2nd	9'00	9'00	9'00
	Heggaddevankote	0	00	1	33	04	99	07	13	2	14	sort.			
	Gundlupet	0	00	1	33	06	91	06	64	0	27	Ragi	15'00	15'00	15'00
	Nanjangud	0	63	1	29	07	26	06	79	0	47				
	T.-Narsipur	0	50	1	18	06	22	05	99	0	23	Kulthi	12'00	12'00	12'00
	Malvalli	0	00	1	37	06	04	05	18	0	86				
	Mandya	0	65	1	25	06	90	05	31	1	59	Kadale	9'00	9'00	9'00
	Krishnarajpete	0	00	1	39	02	50	06	04	3	54				
	Nagamangala	0	00	1	16	04	45	05	38	0	93				
	Periyapatna	0	00	1	39	07	60	06	67	0	93				
Maddur	0	45	0	97	06	26	04	43	1	83					
French-Rocks	0	00	1	01	02	36	05	18	2	82					
	District average	0	14	1	25	05	69	05	92	0	43				
HASSAN	Hassan (observatory)	0	00	0	97	03	70	05	76	2	06				
	Manjarabad (Saklespur)	0	00	0	92	02	49	05	62	3	13	Rice, 2nd	9'00	9'00	9'50
	Arkaigud	0	00	0	97	04	59	05	61	1	02	sort.			
	Belur	0	00	1	02	04	43	05	97	1	54	Ragi	17'00	17'00	18'00
	Channarayapatna	0	10	1	19	02	85	05	65	2	80				
	Arsikere	0	00	0	76	05	16	04	60	0	56	Kulthi	12'00	12'00	14'00
	Hole-Narsipur	0	00	1	16	01	12	05	59	4	47				
	Alur	0	04	1	09	04	59	06	48	1	89	Kadale	8'00	8'00	8'00
	District average	0	02	2	01	03	62	05	66	2	04				
SHIMOGA	Shimoga	0	00	0	52	00	81	03	73	2	92				
	Channagiri	0	00	0	72	03	13	03	52	0	39				
	Honnali	0	00	0	82	02	51	03	98	1	47	Rice, 2nd	7'50	7'50	6'91
	Shikarpur	0	00	0	54	01	42	03	53	2	11	sort.			
	Scrab	0	00	0	44	00	78	03	24	2	46	Ragi	19'00	19'00	15'35
	Sagar	0	15	0	33	03	12	03	40	0	28				
	Nagar (Kallurkatte)	0	00	0	45	01	77	03	34	1	57	Kulthi	11'00	11'00	9'84
	Tirthahalli	0	00	0	60	00	75	03	76	3	01				
	Kumsi	0	00	0	69	01	89	04	22	2	33				
		District average	0	02	0	57	01	80	03	63	1	83			
KADUR	Chikmagalur	0	00	1	07	04	87	06	10	1	23				
	Kadur	0	00	0	73	02	80	03	97	1	17	Rice, 2nd	9'00	9'00	9'00
	Tarikere	0	00	0	85	02	07	04	24	2	17	sort.			
	Koppa	0	00	0	52	01	52	04	75	3	23	Ragi	17'00	17'00	16'00
	Mudgere	0	00	0	93	04	69	05	98	1	29				
	Narasimharajpura	0	00	0	78	02	83	04	95	2	12	Kulthi	11'00	11'00	11'00
	Sringeri	0	00	0	55	00	55	04	46	3	91	Kadale	8'00	8'00	8'00
		District average	0	00	0	77	02	76	04	92	2	16			
CHITALDRUG	Chitaldrug (observatory)	0	00	0	79	04	74	03	62	1	12				
	Challakere	0	00	0	53	05	39	02	79	2	60	Rice, 2nd	7'00	7'00	5'00
	Hiriyur	0	00	0	82	03	29	03	62	0	33	sort.			
	Holalkere	0	00	0	62	02	11	03	44	1	33	Ragi	20'00	20'00	12'00
	Davangere	0	00	0	63	02	89	03	04	0	15				
	Molakalmuru	0	00	0	71	02	61	02	83	0	22	Kulthi	12'00	13'00	9'00
	Jagalur	0	00	0	60	06	33	03	06	3	27				
	Hosdurga	0	00	0	78	02	33	03	61	1	28	Cholum	18'00	18'00	12'00
	Harthar	0	00	0	66	01	38	03	11	1	73				
		District average	0	00	0	68	03	45	03	23	0	22	Kadale	9'00	9'00
Provincial average		0	05	0	84	04	57	04	49	0	08				

NOTE—Rice (husked)—*Oryza Sativa*  
 Ragi—*Eleusine Coracana*  
 Kulthi—*Horragram* *Delichos Biflora*.

Cholum—*Sorghum Vulgare*  
 Kadale—*(Bengalgram) Cicer Arietinum*.



## DISTRICT REPORTS.

8. Markets how supplied.
9. Progress of agricultural operations, state of standing crops, prospects and probable outturn of harvests, serious damage done to crops by insects or other natural calamities.
10. Prospects of the season, tracts in which the rainfall has been insufficient, areas affected by scarcity, number of people under relief and state of food stocks.
11. Remarks as to the condition of agricultural stock, failure of pasturage or fodder, etc.

## BANGALORE CITY AND TALUKS.

8. Well supplied.
9. Raiyats are reported to be carting manure to their fields in Anekal and Devanahalli Taluks. Ploughing operations are reported to be going on in parts of Bangalore, Magadi and Devanahalli Taluks.  
*Crops Sown.*—Potato in parts of Doddballapur Taluk; jola in Magadi Taluk and til in Magadi and Channapatna Taluks.  
*Standing Crops.*—Sugarcane in Hoskote, Doddballapur, Kankanhalli, Channapatna, Devanahalli and Closepet Taluks and paddy in Hoskote, Doddballapur, Channapatna and Devanahalli Taluks are reported to be in good condition.
10. Fair.
11. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy but for the prevalence of Rinderpest in parts of Bangalore, Doddballapur, Nelamangala, Kankanhalli, Magadi and Closepet Taluks.  
 Necessary action is being taken to check the spread of the disease.  
 Fodder and water are available.

## KOLAR.

8. Well supplied.
9. *Agricultural Operations.*—Raiyats are engaged in ploughing dry lands in Kolar, Bowringpet and Chikballapur Taluks.  
*Crops Sown.*—Sugarcane in Kolar; onions in Kolar Taluk.  
*Standing Crops.*—Paddy in Kolar, Bowringpet, Sidlaghatta, Chikballapur, Malur and Srinivasapur Taluks; sugarcane in Bowringpet, Chintamani, Mulbagal, Sidlaghatta, Chikballapur, Bagepalli, Malur, Srinivasapur Taluks and Gudibanda Sub-Taluk, are reported to be in good condition.  
*Crops Harvested.*—Paddy in Chintamani, Sidlaghatta, Srinivasapur Taluks and Gudibanda Sub-Taluk; jola in Chintamani Taluk.
10. Public health is generally good except for Plague at Vengasandra in Bowringpet Taluk, parts of Kasaba Hobli in Malur Taluk and in some villages of Ronur Hobli in Srinivasapur Taluk.
11. Cattle are reported to be healthy, except for Rinderpest in some villages of Vokkaleri Hobli in Kolar Taluk and in Satandahalli of Srinivasapur Taluk.  
 Cooly classes find sufficient labour.  
 Fodder and water are generally available.

## TUMKUR.

8. Markets are well supplied.
9. *Seeds Sown.*—Til, jolam, greengram, blackgram, in Tiptur Taluk; and paddy and sugarcane in parts of Madhugiri Taluk are reported to be sown.  
*Standing Crops.*—Paddy, sugarcane in Koratagere, Tumkur, Gubbi, Tiptur, Kunigal, and Madhugiri Taluks; hesaru and uddu in Tiptur Taluk; and cotton and jolam in Pavagada Taluk.  
*Crops Harvested.*—Paddy is reported to be harvested in Tumkur, Gubbi, Kunigal, Tiptur, Turuvekere and Pavagada Taluks.
10. Fair.
11. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy in almost all the Taluks. Fodder scarcity is reported in some parts of Gubbi Taluk. It is reported that due to light showers of rain grass is cropping up in Chiknayakanhalli Taluk.



## MYSORE.

8. Well supplied.

9. *Seeds Sown*.—Ragi, cholam and til in parts of Hunsur, Heggaddevankote Taluks and in Periyapatna Sub-Taluk are reported to have been sown.

It is also reported that lands are being prepared for sowing other crops.

*Standing Crops*.—Cholam and til in parts of Chamarajnagar, Gundlupet, Nanjan-gud, T.-Narsipur, Mandya and Maddur Taluks; sugarcane in parts of Mandya, T.-Narsipur, Malvalli, Maddur, French-Rocks and Chamarajnagar Taluks are reported to be in a good condition.

*Crops Harvested*.—Sugarcane in parts of Krishnarajpet, Mandya and Maddur Taluks is being cut and removed.

10. Prospects of the season are reported to be fair.

Food stuffs are available in sufficient quantities.

It is reported that the standing crops are in need of rain.

It is reported by the Amildar, Krishnarajpet and Deputy Amildar, Periyapatna, that difficulty for water is being felt in many villages. The Amildar, Krishna-rajpet has reported that temporary wells are being sunk near tank beds in some of the villages of that taluk.

Cattle are reported to be generally healthy, except for the prevalence of Rinderpest in Devalapur and Jakkahalli villages of Heggaddevankote Taluk.

Water and fodder are reported to be available.

## HASSAN.

8. Well supplied.

9. *Crops Sown*.—Paddy and ragi in parts of Arkalgud Taluk, and sugarcane in parts Hole-Narsipur Taluk are reported to have been sown.

*Standing Crops*.—Sugarcane in Arkalgud, Belur and Channarayapatna Taluks and Alur Sub-Taluk, are reported to be in good condition. Newly sown crops in Belur Channarayapatna, Arsikere Taluks and Alur Sub-Taluk are also reported to be in good condition.

*Crops Harvested*.—Sugarcane is being harvested in Chennarayapatna Taluk.

10. Prospects of the season are reported to be fair.

11. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy.

Water and fodder are available.

## SHIMOGA.

8. Markets well supplied.

9. *I. Agricultural Operations*.—Paddy is being sown in Sagar, Hosnagar and Tirtha-halli Taluks and Kumsi Sub-Taluk.

*II. State of Standing Crops*.—Sugarcane is reported to be good in all the taluks. The Amildars of Shikarpur, Sorab and Sagar Taluks report that the sugarcane requires immediate rains.

*III. Crops Harvested*.—Nil.

10. Prospects of the season are reported to be fair. The relief works in the affected parts of Shikarpur and Sorab Taluks are in progress.

11. *Condition of Cattle*.—Cattle are reported to be generally healthy throughout the district except for the prevalence of "Naradi" disease in Chikjambur Village of Shikarpur Taluk; Rinderpest in Hanagavadi, Hosahalli and Belagutti Villages of Honnali Taluk; Thodanir, Hanchi, Kodikoppa, Tallur, Anavatti, Sarekoppa and Sakunavalli Villages of Sorab Taluk; Kerehalli, Masarur and Kenchanala Villages of Hosnagar Taluk; and Throat disease in Nyarsi and Suthukote Villages of Sorab Taluk. The concerned Veterinary Inspectors are reported to be taking necessary action to check the spread of the diseases.

Fodder and water are available to cattle.

## KADUR.

8. Well supplied.
9. *Agricultural Operations*.—Preliminary agricultural operations are going on in Mudgere Taluk and Narasimharajapura Sub-Taluk.  
*Crops sown*.—Paddy, ragi and til in Chikmagalur Taluk; jola, greengram, blackgram, Tadagani (~~series~~) and til in parts of Kadur Taluk; and paddy in Koppa Taluk and Narasimharajpur Sub-Taluk.  
*Standing Crops*.—Sugarcane and coffee are reported to be in good condition.  
*Crops Harvested*.—Nil.
10. Prospects of the season are reported to be fair. It is reported that rain is required in Tarikere, Chikmagalur, Koppa and Mudgere Taluks. Some rains have since occurred.  
Food grains are available and their prices remain fairly steady.  
Cooly classes find labour.
11. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy and water and fodder are reported to be available throughout the district.

## CHITALDRUG.

8. Markets are reported to be well supplied.
9. *Agricultural Operations*.—Sowing of "Gidda ragi" in wet lands in parts of Chellakere Taluk is being done.  
*Standing Crops*.—Standing crops, such as tobacco, onions and paddy are reported to be in good condition.  
*Crops Harvested*.—Paddy in Hiriyr Taluk and onions in Molakalmuru Taluk are being harvested.
10. Prospects of the season are good.
11. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy throughout the district.  
Water and fodder are available.

OFFICE OF THE REVENUE COMMISSIONER  
IN MYSORE,  
Dated Bangalore, 23rd May 1939.

S. ABDUL WAJID,  
Revenue Commissioner.



Statement showing the prices current (retail) of rice (2nd sort), ragi and horsegram at the several Taluk Headquarters for the week ending Saturday, the 20th May 1939.

District	Taluk	Quantity per rupee by the standard seer of 80 tolas			District	Taluk	Quantity per rupee by the standard seer of 80 tolas		
		Rice, 2nd sort	Ragi	Horsegram			Rice, 2nd sort	Ragi	Horsegram
Bangalore	Bangalore	6 12	15 8	11 0	Mysore—concl'd.	Malvalli	8 0	14 0	10 0
	Hoskote	7 8	16 0	11 0		Mandya	8 0	14 0	12 0
	Dodballapur	8 0	16 0	11 0		Krishnarajpete	8 0	16 0	13 0
	Nelamangala	7 0	16 0	11 0		Nagamangala	8 0	16 0	12 0
	Kankanhalli	7 0	14 0	11 0		Periyapatna	10 0	20 0	14 0
	Magadi	8 0	16 0	11 0		Maddur	8 0	14 0	11 0
	Channarayana	8 0	14 0	12 0		French-Rocks	8 0	12 0	11 0
	Anekal	7 4	18 0	11 0		Hassan	9 0	17 0	12 0
	Devanhalli	7 8	16 0	10 0		Manjarabad	8 0	13 0	11 0
	Closepet	8 0	14 0	11 0		Arkalgud	10 0	20 0	14 0
Kolar	Kolar	7 8	15 0	11 0	Hassan	Belur	9 0	19 0	11 0
	Bowringpet	7 8	14 0	11 0		Channarayana	8 0	14 0	11 0
	Chintamani	8 0	16 0	11 0		Araikere	9 8	17 8	13 0
	Mulbagal	8 0	13 0	12 0		Hole-Narsipur	9 0	18 0	13 0
	Sidlaghatta	8 0	14 0	11 0		Alur	9 8	17 0	11 0
	Chikballapur	8 0	15 0	11 8	Shimoga	Shimoga	7 8	19 0	11 0
	Bagepalli	8 0	16 0	11 0		Channagiri	9 0	20 0	12 0
	Goribidnur	8 0	16 0	11 0		Honnali	8 8	25 0	12 0
	Malur	8 0	16 0	11 0		Shikarapur	9 0	25 0	12 0
	Srinivasapur	8 0	16 0	11 0		Sorab	10 0	18 0	12 0
	Gudibanda	8 0	18 0	12 0		Sagar	7 8	18 0	10 8
Tumkur	Tumkur	10 0	16 0	11 0		Nagar	10 0	16 0	11 0
	Madhugiri	8 0	16 0	10 0		Tirthahalli	10 0	15 0	10 0
	Chiknaikanhalli	8 12	16 0	12 0		Kumsi	9 0	20 0	12 0
	Sira	10 0	16 0	11 8	Kadur	Chikmagalur	9 0	17 0	11 0
	Gubbi	10 0	16 0	12 0		Kadur	8 0	20 0	12 0
	Tiptur	8 0	16 0	12 0		Tarikere	9 0	19 0	10 8
	Pavagada	8 0	18 0	14 0		Koppa	9 8	16 0	11 0
	Kunigal	9 0	16 0	11 0		Mudgere	10 0	17 0	10 0
	Koratagere	9 0	16 0	11 0		Narasimharajapura	10 0	16 0	11 0
	Turvekere	8 0	14 0	12 0		Sringeri	11 12	15 0	11 0
Mysore	Mysore	9 0	15 0	12 0	Chitaldrug	Chitaldrug	7 0	20 0	12 0
	Chamarajnagar	8 0	16 0	12 0		Challakere	9 8	20 0	14 0
	Seringapatam	8 0	15 0	11 0		Hiriyur	8 8	18 0	14 0
	Hunsur	10 0	18 0	13 0		Holalkere	8 0	20 0	12 0
	Krishnarajnagar	9 8	16 0	12 8		Davangere	8 0	20 0	14 0
	Heggaddevanekote	8 0	16 0	12 0		Molakalmuru	9 0	22 0	15 0
	Gundlupet	8 0	16 0	12 0		Jagalur	8 8	20 0	12 0
	Nanjangud	8 0	16 0	12 0		Hosdurga	9 0	20 0	11 0
	T.-Narsipur	8 0	15 0	12 0		Harihar	8 0	20 0	14 0